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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):  
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Title: **CLOCK SIGNAL DECOUPLING FOR SYNCHRONOUS OPERATION**

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- ☒ 9 Sheets of drawings, Formal \_\_, Informal XX;  
☒ Specifications (20 pp.);  
☒ Claims (6 pp.)  
☒ Abstract (1 pp.)  
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